

3 to avail themselves of the transportation facilities provided their par-  
4 ents pay the prorata cost of such transportation.

1 SEC. 5. The board of two or more districts contracting with the  
2 same school for elementary school facilities, as provided herein, may  
3 purchase, jointly or individually, a suitable transportation bus or  
4 busses to be used in transporting children to such school and con-  
5 tract for a suitable bus driver or drivers, the cost of the bus and the  
6 bus driver to be distributed among the districts authorizing the same  
7 on such equitable terms as may be mutually agreed upon, which agree-  
8 ment shall be in the form of a written contract.

1 SEC. 6. Distance to school shall, in all cases, be measured on the  
2 public highway only and by the most practicable route, starting on  
3 the roadway opposite the private entrance to the residence of the  
4 pupil and ending on the roadway opposite the entrance to the school  
5 grounds.

1 SEC. 7. A contract entered into as provided in this act shall not  
2 be construed as in any way impairing the corporate identity of the  
3 contracting districts nor as affecting the legal powers of the respec-  
4 tive boards except as specifically set out in this act, nor as entitling  
5 any person to a right of reversion in any schoolhouse site.

1 SEC. 8. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall be  
2 in full force and effect after its passage and publication in the . . . . .  
3 . . . . ., a newspaper published at . . . . ., Iowa, and  
4 in the . . . . ., a newspaper published at . . . . .,  
5 Iowa.

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I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Sigourney Review  
March 22, 1933, and the Carroll Times March 22, 1933.

MRS. ALEX MILLER, Secretary of State.

Note: Sigourney Review and Carroll Times selected in accordance with section  
fifty-five (55), code, 1931.

CHAPTER 60

SCHOOL FACILITIES WHERE SCHOOL IS CLOSED

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AN ACT to repeal sections forty-two hundred thirty-two (4232), forty-two hundred  
thirty-three (4233), forty-three hundred seventy-five (4375), and forty-three hundred  
seventy-six (4376), code, 1931, and to enact a substitute therefor; and to amend sec-  
tion forty-two hundred seventy-four (4274), code, 1931, all relating to school privileges  
under certain conditions.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:*

1 SECTION 1. If a school is closed for lack of pupils, the board of such  
2 corporation shall provide for the instruction of the pupils of the cor-  
3 poration by sending them to other schools of the corporation or by  
4 contracting for such facilities in another school corporation if a school  
5 in such other corporation is nearer to them than any public school  
6 of the corporation of their residence and such pupils are over two  
7 miles from any public school in their resident corporation. Immedi-

8 ately upon the closing of any school, the board shall notify the patrons  
9 of the school where their children are to attend; provided that when  
10 the school in a subdistrict of a school township has been closed, the  
11 residents of such subdistrict may, if they prefer, send their children  
12 to the public school of their choice outside the school township, pro-  
13 vided the cost to the school township for each of such children will  
14 not exceed the prorata cost in the entire school township during the  
15 school year immediately preceding.

1 SEC. 2. Where a school has been closed and the board has failed  
2 to arrange for school facilities, as provided in the preceding section,  
3 at least twenty days before the time the school would otherwise begin,  
4 it shall be the duty of the county superintendent to notify the presi-  
5 dent of the board of such corporation of such failure, and if the board  
6 does not arrange for school facilities within ten days thereafter, it  
7 shall then become the duty of the county superintendent to make such  
8 arrangements.

1 SEC. 3. The tuition cost to be mutually agreed upon by the respec-  
2 tive boards shall be paid by the home district except that the rate  
3 shall not be in excess of \$6.00 per month.

1 SEC. 4. When children live over two miles from the school in their  
2 district or from the school designated for their attendance, the board  
3 shall arrange with any person outside the board for the transportation  
4 of such children to and from school and the cost of such transporta-  
5 tion shall be paid from the general fund, but the board may provide  
6 transportation for a less distance.

1 SEC. 5. Distance to school shall in all cases be measured on the  
2 public highway only and by the most practicable route, starting on  
3 the roadway opposite the private entrance to the residence of the  
4 pupil and ending on the roadway opposite the entrance to the school  
5 grounds.

1 SEC. 6. Section forty-two hundred seventy-four (4274), code, 1931,  
2 is amended as follows:

3 1. Strike from line nine (9) the words "and one and one-half" and  
4 insert in lieu thereof the following:

5 "or nearer to a regularly established transportation route to a con-  
6 solidated school and two".

7 2. Strike from lines eleven (11) to fourteen (14) the sentence:

8 "The county superintendent may also consent to such attendance in  
9 case a child resides on a consolidated transportation route and more  
10 than two miles from any public school of his residence."

1 SEC. 7. Sections forty-two hundred thirty-two (4232), forty-two  
2 hundred thirty-three (4233), forty-three hundred seventy-five (4375),  
3 and forty-three hundred seventy-six (4376), code, 1931, are hereby  
4 repealed.

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